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the following uranium ore shipments, labeled "Passe raw" were dispatched from East Germany to East Litovsk in April 1954:

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Date in Number of Tons  
April Boxcars

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a. From Annaberg - Buchholz

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|    |    |     |
|----|----|-----|
| 6  | 4  | 90  |
| 8  | 15 | 225 |
| 10 | 31 | 465 |
| 13 | 10 | 150 |
| 15 | 20 | 300 |
| 17 | 10 | 150 |
| 20 | 10 | 150 |
| 24 | 5  | 75  |
| 24 | 17 | 225 |
| 29 | 17 | 255 |
| 30 | 20 | 300 |

b. From Aue

|    |    |     |
|----|----|-----|
| 1  | 25 | 365 |
|    | 30 | 455 |
| 6  | 30 | 465 |
| 8  | 20 | 300 |
| 10 | 14 | 210 |
| 13 | 25 | 385 |
| 14 | 20 | 300 |
| 15 | 25 | 375 |
| 17 | 15 | 230 |
| 20 | 25 | 375 |
| 22 | 25 | 380 |
| 24 | 10 | 150 |
| 26 | 45 | 680 |
| 29 | 20 | 300 |
| 30 | 15 | 225 |

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## c. From Breitenbrunn

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|    |    |     |
|----|----|-----|
| 2  | 15 | 220 |
| 6  | 9  | 135 |
| 8  | 10 | 150 |
| 13 | 10 | 150 |
| 14 | 25 | 380 |
| 17 | 20 | 300 |
| 20 | 10 | 150 |
| 22 | 15 | 225 |
| 24 | 20 | 310 |
| 29 | 8  | 125 |
| 30 | 10 | 150 |

Comment. The present report indicates that a total of 657 boxcars loaded with 9,895 tons of uranium ore was dispatched to the USSR in April 1954. The slight divergence of 18 carloads between the present report results from a slight overlapping of reported periods at different points of observation. An evaluation of uranium ore shipments covering a prolonged period indicates that in 1954 an average of 10,000 tons of uranium ore was dispatched to the U.S.R. per month.

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The present report shows that the tonnage stated for uranium ore shipments only refers to the payload and excludes the weight of freight cars. The present report also indicates that on the average, each freight car is loaded with 15 tons of ore.

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